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July 20, Ganges, Brit. str., 1190, G.F. Cates, Shanghai 15th July, General.—P. & O.		HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE	PUBLIC AUCTION.	TO BE LET, OR FOR SALE.  A Pleasantly situated Bungalow, with Gar-	HONGKOVG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.	
July 20, Chattanooga, Amer. bk., 527, Geo. Freeman, Newcastle 24th April, Coals.	Incorporated by National Decrees of 7th and 8th May, 1848, and by Imperial Decrees of 25th July, 1854, and 81st December, 1866.	[1] "大","我是我们是你说,你是你,我们的,我们的人,我们们就是我的是你没有一样,我没有点好。	THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction.  10 MORROW.	A den, Conchiouse, and Stable. Situated in the Calcada do San Francisco, Micho. Government ground rental of \$8 per annum.	NOTICE TO SUAREHOLDERS.	departure of the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
July 20, Centura, Brit. sh., 886 Lawson	ERCOGNISED BY THE	THE Second Call of \$100 per Share will be come due at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on the 30th	the 22nd July, 1869, at 12 c'clock, s. At his Sales Rooms,		annum, or's 4.50 per share, declared at the	A.M. THIS DAY, the 21st instant.
Sydney 27th May, Coals Aug. Heann & Co. July 20, Ville de St. Servan, French bl.	BOTH APRIL, 1862, PAID-UP CAPITAL,	instant, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted.	5 Bales GARROW WOOD 400 Boxos Yellow SOAP	HONGKONG HOTEL.	Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of the Share holders, held on the 12th instant, will be payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Backing	P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.  Hongkong, 21st July, 1869.  [1378]
284, L. Dibart, Sydney 27th May, Coals  -D. Lapeate & Co July 20, Labuan, Brit, bl., 286, E. F. Si.	Типов 80,000,000,—£3,200,000.	Interest at the rate of 12% per annum will be charged after the above date.  N.B.—The Scrip receipts for the First Call,	A Quantity of American TOBACCO.  30 Cross Clay PIPES.  30 dozen Pocket KNIVES.	1 every day, from 5 to 7.30 P.M.	Corporation on and after Thursday, the 15th instant. Shareholders are requested to apply at the office of the Undersigned for Warrants.	SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.  NUMBER OF the weather having
emousen, Put back, 19th July, General Chinese	France 20,000,000,—£800,000	ha well as those above referred to, will be ex- changed for share certificates of the Company as soon as the necessary forms are received	20 Mille Smith & Wesson's CARTRIDGES. 10 Casks SALMON. 400 Des. Suwing TYINE.	tf 1013 Houghong, 25th May, 1869. ILLUMINATIONS.	By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents.	interfered with Shipping operations, the departure of the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
July 20, H.I.C.M. g-b. Chen-to, T. P. L. wards, from Macao 20th July.	UNION BANK OF LONDON.	from England, due notice of which will be given to the shareholders.  JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	50 dozen Out Wine GLASSES.  10 pieces White DRILL.  10 Gross Black Alpaca BRAID.	TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL AROHES, AND OTHER DECORATIONS, For the approaching visit of	HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO	for the above places, is POSTPONED till 1 P.M. TO MORROW, the 22nd instant.
July 20, Cathaya, Brit. sh., 790, Paterson, Sydney 1st June, Coals.—Aug. Hearn & Co.	AGENCIES AT LONDON, NANTES, LYONS, BOMBAY, UALGUTTA, HONGKONG, SHANGHAT	General Managers. tf 1159 Hongkong, 14th June, 1869.	50 pairs BOOTS. 50 dozen LAVANDER WATER. 24 Assorted PERFUMES.	His ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH	STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.  NOTICE TO SHARRHOLDERS.	W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Houghong, 21st July, 1869. [2d 1347]
July 20, Parino, Span. str., 1,200 Fernan- dez Atarius, Manila 16th July, Mails.— Spanish Consul.	SAIGON, SAINT DENIS, (ILE DE LA REUNION,)	I MHI Undersigned have been appointed bole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkoog and Olime by Mesons in the Ten-	Soldiers' BELTS and HAVERSACKS.	THE Undersigned is now prepared to exe- cute orders for the above, all information in reference thereto can be obtained from	IN accordance with the requirements of the 5 let Section of "the Companies Ordinance	
July 20, Ottawa, Brit. str., 1,240, Edmonds, Shanghai 16th July, Silk and General.	THIS BANK ISSUES Drufts on its Puris	nent, Glasgow, and Mossrs. David Corsur & Suns Arbroath. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.	AS Cases Superior SHELERY Also (For account of the concerned)	JOHN B HOLDSAMP	1665." an Extraordinary Meeting of the Share.  hold the III. be held at the Company's Offices.  Victoria: Houghest, many has been 27th.	T. A. GIBB."  Clant Montgomery, will have quick dispatch
-P. & O. S. N. Co. July 21, Juno, North Ger. bk., 259, Iverson, Newchwang 19th June, Beans.—Arn-	Head Office, on the Union Bank of London, and on its Agencies in London, Bombay, Cal-	of 419 Hongkong, Jerumry, 1867. SAIL MAKING, TATILIJAM DOLAN having returned to	Ex skip "Carmarthenshire,"  More or less damaged by Sea Water.	RELEING OFFIAT COST. 28	day of July instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of confirming any Resolutions that may be passed at the Extra-	Canh Montgomery, will have quick dispatch for the above ports.  For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
HOLD, KARBERG & Co.  July 21, Prince Albert, Brit, str., 105, Mil.	on the Continent of Europe, India, America,	I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I	2 ft, 8 in.	DE SILVER & Co. being about to CLOSE their business, offer their Entire Stock	ordinary Meeting of Shareholders on the 12th Instant.  By order of the Board of Directors.	of 1409 Hongkong, 21st July, 1869.
sum, Macao 20th July.—Achieong.	CURRENT ACCOUNTS are kept, upon which no Commission is charged, and no In-	He has on hand a fine assortment of 8 and 10	4 ff. 3 in, by	at Cost, the same consisting of Ship Chandlery, including Rope, Hemp, Canvas, Oakum, Pitch, Base's Ale, Guinese's Stout, and a large variety	AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents.	HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
<ul><li>(1) (前の名) (2) (2) (2) (2) (2) (2) (2) (2) (2) (2</li></ul>	BILLS on Europe, India, America, Anatralia, &c., &c., are purchased or remitted for collec-	ounce RAVINS DUCK, suitable for Boat Salls or Awnings. 10 858 Hougkong, 30th April, 1869.	6840/1, 3 ft. 6 ju. by	of Oilman's Stores. Bar Steel, Builer Plate, Yellow Metal, Oarbines, Pistols, Cartridges. Booles weighing Ibs. and Catties, Stores,		N pursuance of the provisions of the 32nd L Article of Association, an Extraordinary
July 20, Arratoon Arcar, str., for Singa- pore and Calcutta	LOCAL BILLS discounted, and LOANS	NUTICE	6842, 6 Pier GLASSES, 5 ft. 8 in. by	large Cambouses, Lamps and Chandeliers, An assurtment of entirely New Styles of Kerosine Stand Lamps, Ash Oars, Flat and Round Rub-	Coal Merchants, Lumpers, and General Com- mission Agents under the Style and Firm of	General MEETING of Shareholders will be
と記さながらなった。 美国教会会は経済事 いっとうかい しょうだい かんじょうかんじょ しゅっきげ	LETTERS OF OREDIT issued, available	TYL is now publishing a series of 40 Views of Hongkong, price 325.	And. By order of the Official Adminstrator,	ber Packing, &c., &c., tf 1277 Hongkong, 1st July, 1869.	The best tea Ballast and pure water from wells at "Mingau Pass." Also, any other ne-	for the purpose of taking into consideration the advisability of changing the 30th, 31st, and
ATTHE HARMOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.	cation to the Manager.  E. DELBANCO,  Manager.	10 Views from plates 14 by 9 25 do. do. 10 8. 4 small instantaneous subjects of Dragon.	Sundry EFFEOTS, belonging to the Estates of the late Robr. Bunns and John Hickey. Thrus of Sale.—Cash before delivery in	HONGKONG	cessory procurable in the Foodbow market, supplied at the most reasonable rates. Cargoes discharged or leaded, and teas carefully stowed.	
July 20тн. Sun Lorenzo, for Manila.	Offices in Hongkong :	tf 1713 Hongkong, 10th September, 1868.  KELUNG COAL COMPANY.	Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  J. M. ARMSTRONG,  Auctioneer.	The Colonial-Eggretary.	by the ton.  BROWN, KINTOW & Co. Pagoda Island, Foosbow,	28d 1404 Hongkong, 21st July, 1869.  NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS,
Passengers.	Hongkong, December, 1868. [790] HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.	THE Undersigned are prepared to supply	1408 Hongkong, 21st July, 1869, NIGHT SALE.	GEO. HEARD, Esq., The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N.	July 8th, 1869. [tf. 1388] THE UNION DOOK COMPANY OF	HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK
Per Labuan, Put back,— 7 Chinese, Per Ganges, str., from Shanghai,—	SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars.	the same under contract at any port in China.	GUEDES & Co. will sell by Public Auction,	Compuny, (ex officio); W. Stanley Adams, M. D., Resident Surgeon, Mr. Young, House Surgeon.	HONUKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMPTED.  NOTICE.	COMPANY, LIMITED.  PHE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the
Messrs. McMorris, Palmer, Fencock, Mrs. Muirhewl and child, and 20 Chinese deck. Per Pating, str., from Manila,—	Chairman—George F. Heard, Ero. Deputy Chairman—Julius Menke, Esq.	The company having always a large quantity in store, vessels will not be subjected to any unnecessary delay.	the 22nd July, 1869, at 8.30 p.m., At their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road Central.	W. PATERSON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer.  TERMS OF ADMISSION—  Let Class (Private Room), per duy, \$3.00	THE above Company having recently erected, at their Docking Establishment at Kow-	Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, Club Chambers at 3.30 P.M. on TUESDAY, the 17th Angust, for the purpose
Messrs. Vicente Dolo, Jose Iranco, Juan Unalde, Christian Rudding; John Dulton, F. del Rio, C. Marcas, Jose Reral, and Miguel La-	George J. Helland, Eeq. William Lemann, Esq. J. P. Duncanson, Esq. Richard Rowett, Esq. S. D. Sassoon, Esq. E. R. Bellios, Faq.	DODD & Ch., Aponls.  Note 281 Kelung, 6th January, 1868.	An Invoice of ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, consisting of Tea and Coffee SETS, Bed, Drawing-room, and Piano CANDLESTICKS,	3rd (Public Wards), , S1.00	loon, First Class Machinery, are prepared to furnish tenders for the manufacture and repairing of Boilers of any size, and for the making	of receiving a statement of accounts, the Report of the Directors, and for declaring a Dividend.  By order of the Board.
del. Per O'tawa, str., frum Shanghai. For Hongkong.—Meesra. R., B. Baker, W.	Honbie, J. B. Taylor.  Managers;  Hongkong—Victor Kresser, Esq.;	E. AURBACH & Co., SHIP CHANDLERS & STOREKEEPERS, NEWCHWANG.	with shades, Cruets STANDS, Liqueur FRAMES, Pickle FRAMES, Toset RACKS, Butter DISHES, Wine COOLERS, Coffee,	and Attendances, but exclusive of Wines or	or repairing of steam machinery (marine or stationary), or of sugar crushing, and refining machinery. Shalting, gearing, and every dis-	G. N. MINTO, Secretary. 281 1405 Hongkong, 21st July, 1869.
Pila 2 natives prisoners, and 10 Chinese deck.  For Eouthampton.—Mrs. Wise and 2 Chil.  dren.	Chief Manager. Shanghai—David McLean, Esq. London Bankers—London and County Bank,	BEG to call the attention of masters of ves-	Tea, and Rice SPOONS, Soup LADLES, Tea BOLTERS, Napkin RINGS, Sugar PINCH- ERS, Bread BASKETS, Mappins' Dessert	countersigned by some responsible Person or	cription of Factory or mill work undertaken.  A new Jelly is in course of completion, along- side of which vessels drawing 18 feet of water	HONGKONG GENERAL OHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Per Cynthia, from Sydney,— Mr. and Mrs. Master King, Messie, W. Anderson Whitten and C. Chinese in the control of the control	HONGKONG.	EXTENSIVE ESTABLISHMENT, replete with every Article of	Table KNIVES, Pen KNIVES, RAZORS. Out GLASSWARE, as Champagne, Sherry,	(Patients are also admitted on Deposits at	can lay at any state of the tide; attached to	THE Market Circulars, prepared by the Chamber, will in future be issued late on
derson, Whitten, and 26 Chinese in steerage.	INTEREST ALLOWED.  On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of I per cent, per annum on the daily balance.	SHIP CHANDLERY AND FANCY GOODS, And towhich they have added a thorough COMPRADORING BRANCH.	Port, Liqueur, Claret, and Finger GLASSES, DECANTERS, Water JUGS, &c., &c., &c., Gold and Silver WATCHES, Gold CHARMS,	1st Olnes, \$60. 2nd\$40.	ROB. S. WALKER, Secretary.	the afternoon of the day preceding the de- partures of the fortnightly P. & O. Mail, Steamers. Subscribers are requested to send
The American back Chattagooga, from New castle, on the 24th April reports having cross-	On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum 6 4	They have also built a commodious BOWLING ALLEY and BILLARD ROOM, Furnished with complete appurtenances.	PINS, LOCKETS (large and small), BRACE- LETS, BROOCHES, Watch KEYS with Seals, 3 Fine Diamond RINGS, Fine Oil		M 1287 Hongkong, 24th June, 1869.  THE UNION DOUK COMPANY OF HONG- KONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.	for their copies between the hours of 4 r.M. and midnight.  J. W. WOOD,
ed Equator on the 12th June, in long, 163 E. Had light winds the entire passage. An chored in East Lama Channel at 6 p.m. on the	12 5 5 Local Bills Discounted.  Credits—granted on approved Securities, and	equal to any in the North of China. 6m 1120 Newchwang, 1st June, 1869.	PAINTING, CARPETING, RUGS, VASES, IMAGES, INKSTANDS, STEREOSCOPES with Slides, Japanese CABINETS, Work	Gm 1314 Hongkong, 1st July, 1869.    HAMPOA BEEF, Shanghai MUTTON,	THE Company call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees, and Masters of Vessels to their establishments at Hongkong	Secretary.
19th instant.	every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  Drafts—granted on London, and the chief	NOTICE,  S T A G H O T E L	BOXES, Cigar CASES, FLOWERS, &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c.	T. PRICEY & Co.'s	and Whampoa, for the DUCKING and RE-	L marthenshire, and are now offering FOR
ALL MARKET CONTROL OF THE STATE	commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan	THIS Establishment having theen entirely Refurnished and much improved, was	dren's DRESSES, CRINOLINES, Cloth, Silk, and Velvet JACKETS, DRESSES.	Butchers, Grocers, and Market Compradors.  Store 73, corner of Wellington and Graham Sts.	Dock in the Harbour,—a granite Dock, solidly	
EASTLACK & WINN.	VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager, Offices of the Corporation, No. I, Queen's Road East.	RE-OPERED for Business on Saturday, June, 12th.  J. BAILEY WATSON, in again taking charge	Mexican Dollars weighed at 7,1.7. 1497 Hongkong, 21st July, 1869.	bf 861 Hongkong, 1st May, 1869.	built, and of dimensions to admit ships of \$50 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water.  Attached to it there are Shipwrights, Black-	Cream Laid Letter and Note PAPERS, as sorted sizes.  Blue Laid Letter and Note PAPERS, as A
Dental Surgeons.  ON and after the 15th July, Dr. Winn's office will be removed from No 1. Wyndham	Hongkong, let January, 1869, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING	of the above, begato return his thanks to his numerous friends and the public generally for	FOR SALE.	August, 1869.	amiths. Boilermakers, and Machinery works, and overything necessary for the repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers.	sorted sizes.  Oream Laid Letter and Note PAPER, ruled with faint lines; Mourning PAPER and EN-
Street to his residence, corner of Arbuthnat	$lacksquare eta = eta \cdot e$	ten years, and trusts that, by strict attention	Letate of DENT & Co.:-	STATISTICAL REPORTER;	The Company have also opened a Ship Yard by the side of the Hongkove Dock, and are	VELOPES; Blue and White FOOLSCAPS,

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will be removed from No 1. Wyndham ect to his residence, corner of Arbuthnat	CORPORATION			
nd and Chancery Lane. f 1373. Hongkong, 14th July, 1869.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS			
EITHER Captain JEFFREY, nor the under-	OTICE is hereby given that the i			
signed will be responsible for any debta tracted by the crew of the North Star from	Call of Twenty-five dollars per Shi			
rdiff, without a written order.	the Shares in the Capital of the Corporation numbered from 20,000 to 40,000, inclus			
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. 14d 1356 Hongkong, 12th July, 1869.	payable on the let day of JULY pext, Head Office and Branches of the Bank.			
DR VARNUM DECOLLINS	Interest at the rate of Twelve per cente			
OLDING a Diploma from the Philodel- phia Dental College, resumes the prac-	annum will be charged on the amount calls unpaid, and the other provisions			
e of his profession at Hongsong. Office and	36th article of the Deed of Settlement			
sidence, 59. Wandham Street, but notionts vi.	Corporation will also be enforced in rest			

sited at their homes if desired. All diseases of By order of the Court of Directors." the teeth treated, and artificial work inserted on gold, eilver, vulcanite and Allen's continuous ti 1141 Hongkong, 11th June, 1869. atf 1150 Hongkong, 14th June, 1869, UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF PHE Undersigned baving been appointed Agents at this Port for-NOTICE GRAPHIC LINE. CHARE No. 164 has been placed in the bands of the Directors FOR SALE Via KIACHTA Scaled tenders for purchase of same will be received until the 22nd instant. By order of the Board, London within 18 days from date they ROBERT WATMORE, Secretary. people patronizing the above line. 16d 1319 Hongkong, 7th July, 1869.

F. A. WHEELER, TAIR-CUTTER AND DRESSER, 🔲 🤚 26. Queen's Road Central. (opposite Lane, Crawford & Co.) Ladies and Contlemen attended at their own. [Mcb22] THE NORTH GERMAN CONFEDERA ti551] Residence. ANDREW MILLARY OUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT he has assumed the duties of this office, and

COPPERSMITH AND BRASSFOUNDER. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane. 11 1020 Hongkong, 26th May, 1869. THE LONDON AND CHINA HERALD:

PAPER published for transmission by A each outgoing Mail to China and Japan, containing Mercantile Intelligence and Political information, especially colleted, arranged, and compiled for the use of the foreign communities in those Countries. SUMMARY OF CONTENTS.

ceedings, comprehensively condensed. Sum- to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Louis McLann, Esq., New York Legal Intelligence. Original notices on the claims to the undersigned, at the Office of Messrs. BARRON & Co., San Francisco. all Nantical Intelligence of interest. Freights, claims will be received or admitted. a condensed and comprehensive Report. Board | Dated Hongliong; 9th day of July, 1869. of Trade and Revenue Returns. Complete Pagsengers' Lists. Postal and Telegraphic Intel. if 1342. ligence. Complete Intelligence, comprising Reports of the Money Market and the Share. Lists of enterprises connected with China and Japan, Reports of Meetings. Statistical Returns of Foreign Trade, Notice of Failures; Joint Stock prospectuses, Financial exposés. Ers, Ships' Smiths, and General Workers. Course of the Produce Market, Movements and Statistical return of Bullion, a full report of New Boilers, apply at the Works, Spring the Tea Market, with quotations and statistics; Gardens. the same of the Silk Market, an exhaustive 3m 1278 Hongkong, let July, 1868. of the Rice Market, report and comparative THE Undersigned bega to notify that he has statistics of all articles of China and Japan | 1 Opened a RESTAURANT in the Old Police turns. Reports and full statistical and comparative details of imports exported to China, Terms of subscription inclusive of postage, £2 10s. per Annum, payable in London, or \$12

and W. H. BELL.

LEFT BEST MA-YAP. In 1280 Hougkong, Ist July, 1869. NOTICE OF REMOVAL. Advertisements and Subscriptions received by the Corner of Hollywood Road and Pottinger GEORGE STREET, 30, Cornhill, London, Sleet, and opposite the "Hotel d'Europe." NORONHA & SONS tf-1047 Hongkong, 31et May, 1869. Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

to cleanliness and the general comfort of his patrons, to merit a continuance of their support. at 1 o'dlock P.M. Dinger ..... 2t 7

BIYC, IS BILLIARD TABLES. if 1152 Hougkong, 14th June, 1869. of the W. P. MOORE begs to inform the Gentle-of the men of Honokono, that he had seen Corporation will also be enforced in respect of the Services of Mr. J. R. Statia, late of San Shares upon which the Calls remain unpuid. VICTOR KRESSER. their Patronage. Hongkong Hotel Hair Dressing Saloon. 2m 1216 Hongkong, 22nd June, 1869.

GRANT'S TRANS MONGOLIAN TELE-Beg to state that Telegrams are always des-patched once (and often twice) a week from Shanghai. Messages have been delivered in Shangbai, and therefore time could be saved by

FESEFELD & Co. 1m 1332 Hongkong, 8th July, 1869. CONSULAR NOTIFICATION. THE Undersigned having obtained the Exc quatur of the Chinese Government at Peking to bis nomination BE CONSUL FOR TION AT CANTON, hereby gives notice that that all separate German Consulates at Canton will henceforth be discontinued. Canton, 7th July, 1869.

> NOTICE. IN THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS'

LAPRAIK, DECEASED. DEOBATE of the last Will and Testatment of DougLAS LAPRAIE, formerly of Hongkong, and lately of Acton, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, one of the Resume of current events. Notices on the Executors in the said Will named, all persons ALLAN McLane, Esq., President, Pacific enlient topics of the day. Parliamentary pro- indebted to the said Estate are bereby required M. S. S. Co., New York. Executor.

YICTORIA FOUNDRY. Sming Gardens, ESTABLISHED 1857 M CDOUGALL & CO., Engineers, Boi-Ler Makers, Brass and Iron Found-Boilers made and repaired; for prices of

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issued and executed. SECURITY IF REQUIRED. tf 338 Hongkong, 18th February, 1868.

AT HANKOW The property at present occupied by Messrs. Evans& Raingow, consisting of a DW ELLING HOUSE, with Servants' OFFICES, and STA-BLES, and three GODOWNS, each 150 feet

N.B.—Two of HARRIS'S first class Iron The situation of this property, outside the British Concession, its River frontage of 320 feet, and extensive Godown accommodation makes it one of the most valuable at Hunkow especially for Steamboat purposes.

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however, whether it will be regarded in the sometimes caught themselves. same light by the European Powers, who was a mistake, as making too much sim-

however, that the step may not have been so sending of Prince ALFRED to Pekin were

prove which side is correct.

A noticeable revoke has been made in one of the sentences passed at the Police Court. A man was sent to prison for eighteen months for picking a pocket, but it was subsequently discovered that there was no evidence that the Twelve months out of eighteen of the sen tence were accordingly knocked off. It is rather a serious mistake to sentence even Chinaman to three times as long a term as is due; and it will not tend to raise the na- The plaintiff stated that he was called upon by water begins to subside, as the foundations will tives' appreciation of Hongkong justice if Captain (large to tune a piano, which he did, be so thoroughly undernined, It is not un-

The following paragraph alluding to the Rev. Mr. Yates pamphlet on Ancestral Wor-Bulletin :-

that in one district in Shanghai, at least \$18,000 was extra work, and did not come within his has amounted to almost hil, and beyond noting are expended annually to appease the souls of agreement merely to tune, but nevertheless he a few sales of Raw Cotton, there is nothing to the dead. As there are 1,620 districts in the had made no extra charge. China as over 400,000,000, \$120,000,000, in February and March last, and why had not

Mr. Mitchell, Postmaster General, may be expected back from his tour of Inspection about the 3rd proximo.

> POLICE INTELLIGENCE. BEFORE J. RUSSELL, ESQ.

STEALING A JACKET. morning last, 17th inst., by his master with a no was not up to congert pitch? n silk jacket to get sewn. On his way be was met by one Lee-a-sow, formerly employed in | piano was not properly tuned, but he had no the same shop, who slapped the boy severely in | witnesses. He could get Mr. Cordeiro the face; so as to knock him down; and at the same | His Honor pointed out that Mr. Cordeiro did time snatched the silk jacket and cut off. The | not see the plane for two months after the plain. buy recovered himself in time to give chase, and tiff had tuned it, and, therefore, be could not? being joined by another Chinaman, who saw the state whether or not the contract bad been I whole affair, the two succeeded in overtaking carried out. As there was no one but the plain. Hongkong merchant. to P.C. 334, who was on duty in Hollywood. was up to concert pitch, judgment must be to Canton merchant. road, who brought him to the station. and called his friend, who was standing by, and him whenever he put the piano right. police. The boy had nothing whatever in his WILLIAM HENRY AND PANG WONG D. SHEEhand, and prisoner took nothing from himthat his Worship at first committed the priso. The plaintiffs were formerly steward and cook ner to the Supreme Court for trial, but after on board the American ship Game Cock of which wards amended his decision to six months' im defendant is master. The plaintiffs were you to Shanghai merchant. prisonment at hard labour.

ROW IN THE PORK MARKET. Lenny-a-tak and Leung-a-yin, proprietors of they both deserted from the ship. They had a pork stall in the Western market, were been ordered to go on board the ship by the brought up under the following circumstances. American Consul, but they both refused to re-On Saturday afternoon Man a slu, a hawker, turn. Both were entirely incompetent to do rest Lyo others, but No. 255 being a Musselman, the voyage. The case must be dismissed. two prisoners actually beating the man, but | hunds of the police. they tried to rescue two men who were taken

into custody by the Musselman Both prisoners stated that they knew nothing gave judgment in this case yesterday morning. about the affair whatever. There ninet be some mistake in identity. The case was remanded to the satisfaction of the Court that the defen-

BEFORE C. MAY, Esq.

THERFORD ALCOCK. What probably, thereto reach deck, whence by the ships of the Customs. Bank had stopped payment. It the movements of the two dorses in the out the sale of one of the Steamers at Manila which skirts of Hakodate, were easily made out. The have thus far led to no practical result.

The fore, has taken place is, that the Son Hakodate, were easily made out. The have thus far led to no practical result. fore, has taken place is, that the Son grasshopper catcher. He was anxious to get for the plaintiff. Damages \$101, and costs of large sively in these transactions, more especially brisk fire and a general advance, which was \$140,000. of the Queen of England-a step quite supply of insects, and he, therefore, set out natural and quite, in accordance with before daylight. He usually caught about 300 recognised precedent, when looked at from hundred. Discharged with a caution, that carly a Chinese point of view. It is doubtful, birds not only "catch the worms," but are

Wong-a-hing was brought up for stealing after receiving the Chinese Ambassador, rat-trap, belonging to P.O. Rodrigues, of the are surely entitled to the like courtesy on Wanchi station, It appears that a servant to the part of the Chinese. When the idea of Rodrigues, named Lee-a-kwong, saw, the prisomer trying to sell the rat trap to a man just the Duke of Fringungures going to Pekin ontside the station. Prisoner told a foolish was aunounced, an opinion was express. story about picking the trap up on the hill side ed in this paper that probably the step and was sent to guol for two months, with hard

OBLESTIAL INCENUITY. portance of the Chinese in comparison to Two Chinamen in the employ of one Chun-European nations. It is not impossible, quan-zee, a shop-keeper in the Queen's road. were charged with robbing about \$175. Thecomplainant was absent at Macao when th ill-advised as it appeared, and that the recep- robbery took place, and he there received a letter probably too much to assert that he has been tion of the Chinese Ambassador and the from one of the defendants, who was in the position of accountant, giving information that a a diplomatic step, designed, once for all, to money was kept, and the hoard thus abstracted. settle the question of equality or non-equali- On coming over to see how matters stood, there, ty between China and Western powers. If the sure enough, he found the shole in the counter; and did not find the money beneath it; but, Chinese cannot accord the ordinary interna upon enquiry, he discovered that the accounttional courtesies, it is clear they cannot con- lant, who wrote to inform him of the matter, had tinue to claim to be considered as on an himself been sceping on the counter on the being three feet of water on the band, over night when the burglary was effected, the seconality with other nations. Whatever the cond defendant being close to the door. Mr. relations are, they are simply not equal. Chus quan-zer being of opinion that this pro-The Chinese consider themselves better than bably indicated that the accountant knew little more about the matter than he had reforeigners; foreigners humbly conceive them ported in his letter, brought the two defend-selves equal to the Chinese. Events must anta before the magnificate, to afford them

carrying a box, concerning which he could not month or six weeks, as this great flood will last discovered that there was no evidence that the give a satisfactory account. He said he got fully that time. The Chinese say it will be the pocket had been picked; but only that an at the box from "a friend." Mr. May remanded most disastrons flood Hankow has ever been tempt had apparently been made to do so, the case for production of said friend, till Satur- visited with. At present the place presents a

BEFORE THE HON. J. PAUNCEFOTE.

they find sentences reversed, after they are but defendant said be wanted the instrument likely that goods will have to be shipped back this, wrote a note to Captain Carey, saying that | Chinese predict.—N. C. Daily News, he would tune the piano up to concert pitch for the aum of \$12, including \$4.00 for the first tuning, but after it was once tuned he could not and would not guarantee its remaining so ship and Fung-shul appears in the Evening for any length of time. The piano was at least one hundred and fifty years old, and he doubted THE COSTILINESS OF IDOLATRY .- Many per- very much at the time whether it would stand New Patna, \$565, cash, and on time; \$5674. sons cavil at the costliness of our churches the tuning. After sending this agreement, the on credit, to the natives; Now Patna, 7th Sales, and religious observances. But those of the plaintiff went to defendant's house, and spent | 2575, on time and 2585, of the 8th Sale, New un-Christianized nations are found to be far some time in tuning the instrument up to con. Benures, \$5623, onsh, sellers; Old Benures, more expensive. A missionary in China took cert pitch. In doing this he broke three strings, none; Old Patna, \$545 to \$5474, cash, sellers; pains to collect statistics as to the cost of ido- which he replaced, and also repaired the iron Malwa, \$020, cash, sellers. latrous worship in that country. he reported pegs, which required boles bored in thein. This In the other departments of trade, business

Empire, some spending more and and some The defendant after stating at considerable Staple at \$20.75, and 100 bales Bengal at less, the average would give nearly \$30,000,000 length the circumstances under which the \$18.00. spent for the Hien gods. In the same manner second turning was brought about, produced it is estimated that \$31,752,000 are expended the letter from the plaintiff, containing the annually for the Eon gods. Add to this the terms of agreement for the \$12 job. He then On London. amount spent in each family for the worship went on to say that plaintiff had in the first of its ancestors, say \$1.50 to each family, and place deprived him of the use of his piano for with 80,000,000 families of five persons each, nearly two months; secondly, he did not see why the aggregate is \$120,000,000, Cut these the iron pegs should have holes bored in them, figures down one half, or three fourths even, all the other pege were without holes; thirdly and the amount is still greater than is given to the piano was not up to concert pitch, and all Christian objects in this country. although plaintiff had promised to come six The writer evidently overlooks the differ- times if necessary, he only came three times ence between the populations of China and -surely he ought to have looked after the On Calcorra. Bank, 3 days sight. 231 the United States. Taking the population of new strings put in fourthly, this all took place

after all, only represents about a quarter of a summons been taken out before? Fifthly, in on the average for all the luxuries of Fung-Carey's satisfaction, but only charged \$5.00; shui Seen Sangs, and other Joss arrange-Sixthly, Mr. Cordeiro found the action completely covered with dust, and surely, if plain- H'kong C'ton & Macao Steam Boat tiff had performed his contract properly in the first place, there could not have been this re- China Traders' Insurance Company's. accumulation of dust. defendant baving been kept out of the use of

His Honor remarked that with regard to the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's simple fact of whether or not the piano was in fact up to concert pitch. If it was, plaintiff Wong a kee, a small boy, employed as an | was evidently entitled to the \$12, under his apprentice to a failor named Wong a chenk, contract. Was Captain Carey prepared to living in Square-street, was sent on Saturday produce skilled witnesses to prove that the pia-

Defendant said he knew himself that given for the plaintiff.

BURNE. These were two actions for the reco. chers & Go. to Man-hing. The case was so clear against the prisoner vering of \$65 and \$41.60 respectively, for wages, shipped in New York, but the defendant stated

that on the arrival of the vossel in this hurbour

who took the two prisoners in custody, and clear one. If the plaintiffs wented their wages ordered another constable who was present to art they must go on board the ship, and complete thought there was too much pork flying about, Mr. Allen, the American Consul, who was and accordingly refused to interfere. P. (), present in court, remarked that both the plain-P. Fishes, Merchants' Exchange No. 75, stated that he saw the fight, the coin tiffs had been reported to him as deserters, and plainant was being beaten by a crowd, in which that he had caused warrants to be issued for WING KEE v. LEONG A-YAN; His Honor

He remarked that the cridence bad established mistake in identity. The case was remarked dank knowing that the plaintiff, who was a rival with the Chinese gambouts Antan and Suitsence of ar versus migra be obtained.

A TRIFING DEADS.

Kong-chok-fook, the Ohimanan who was a superficient of the standard o FLYING rumours have for some time been the sentence, to the effect that in case the complained of was false was proved by the cvigoing round to the effect that a reception prisoner failed to find security at the end of dence of Mr. Green, Superintending Engineer supports on this consideration of the control of the con of various kinds; and that most generally had been prolonged or shortened, was then re- them. It was contended at the trial among of the gunboats in rooting out the pirates when number of other officials are assembled there. other things, that the statement was a the privileged communication, on the ground that the defendant was himself jointly with others, a shipper of cargo by the Niger, to Macso on the 9th inst, in the Colonial Co-

Chin a chune, servant to Mr. Pereira, aum- but in the opinion of the Court that contention to Macao on the San ust., in the Colonia Co-Chinese, there is good reason to believe to be erroneous; as, there is authority for stating day last the complainant found a dog belonging a defence could not prevail. The plaintiff monte in the Wanhous received there with there was proof of indice so that even such visit had reference to some proposed amend. erroneous; as, there is authority for stating day last the complainant found a dog belonging a defence could not prevail. The plainting ments in the Harbour regulations, that it is contemplated to demand that the to the defendant under his master's sedim chair, had sustained no pecuniary loss by reison of The weather has up till within a day or two Prince shall be received by the Emperor.

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You will perceive from the dating of my later of stores and Coal and the Distance the true version of the affair, when it is re- complainant, and gave him a beating. Defen- stantial damages, but he was disposed to townsome her beating. dant did not deny the charge, but said complain- make allowance for the fact that this was temperature has been milder. nant began the and quarrel, struck the first blow, the first time that an action of slander bud ceived a vast number of people both official which he merely returned. Fined one dollar, or been brought against a Chinese defendant in this Court, and also for the feeling of disappointment and irritation under which the defendant Kwang-tung, to the effect that the Mercantile arine, accompanied by the deeper reports of tinguished altogether. Chil-a-yune was found about two o'clock on was labouring at being supplicated by the plain. Community at the above port were startled heavier metal, which caused me in a few bounds. There has been no change in the Company's har Bank; on and after the 15th instant. The Prince Alveed as is accorded to Sir Ru- Monday morning near the Canton Bazar, with tiff in the privilege which he had enjoyed on on the 10th instant, by the rumour that the lo reach deck, whence by the aid of a telescope fleet. There have been some negotiations for meeting then sensorated.

> SHANGHAL. monds, which arrived yesterday, extend dates on credit from two large native hongs, and from the above port to the 15th instant. The selling the same at cooling thus to retrieve his position.
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> Hen J. Ross Browne, U.S. Minister, hadarrived able loss, hoping thus to retrieve his position.
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> In Shanghai from the North, and the American Upon these Bills becoming due, the Banker fire on the advancing party. Meanwhile, the minister of the Community are preparing an of course had no money on hand to meet the ships of the attacking force, five in number.
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> In Shanghai from the Community are preparing an of course had no money on hand to meet the ships of the attacking force, five in number. was that he had endorsed that policy and leant circular to that effect baving been sent round | sunk. The main army was meanwhile steadas much towards conciliation tactice as his pre- by the Commissioner of Customs. will show the exact advices which Mr. Browne gave his Government; and if it appear that what report attributes to him is true, be will certainly deserve much credit. It is, however, recalled on this account; as it is generally understood that this resulted simply from the

on President Grant's accession to office.

Hankow his ben visited with the most disastrons rains—it having rained in torrents without intermission for a week. The result now is that the settlement is under water, there which sampans and canoes are now to be seen. sailing. All the hongs and godowns are sur-rounded by water, and the residents can only go about in boats. The o ub is flooded; and the alleys in the bowling saloon are taken up to prevent their being de troyed. The destruction to foreign property will be most serious, an opportunity of cleasing themselves to the and what the merchants will do for the safety of their goods remain to be seen. By Monday, Mr. May remanded the case to Monday next, the Chinese predict the water will have risen admitting first defendant to bail in \$500, and four feet higher than it is to day, in that case second in \$25. Abdool Eman, was brought up by an energe-flooded by to night. Business of course is at the district watchman, (No. 12,) charged with an end, and nothing will be done now for a carrying a lay concerning which he could not

sight rarely seen in any country. When the COURT OF SUMMARY JUBISDICTION, rain ceases, great heat is expected, and doubtless there will be a good deal of sickness amongst the residents. It is feared that some C. WAGNER v. F. CAREY.—This was an action of the foreign property, especially at the back to recover the sum of \$12, for tuning a plane of the settlement, may fall down whenever the brought up to concert pitch. Plaintiff upon to Shanghai, if the water rises so high as the "July 10th, 1869."

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. TUESDAY EVENING. the day the following are the rolling prices:-

report. These consist of 300 bales Bombay of you as the Southern mountain,

Exonange. Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight, 4/6, to 4/6 Credits at 6 months eight ..... 4/7 to 4/7 Documentary Bills, at 6 months' Bank, 3 days' sight, Private, 30 days' sight ...

BOMBAY .- Bank 3 days sight 231 H'kong & W'poz Dock, Old ..... Shares, ..

SALES ON JULY 20TH, 1869. As reported by Chanese.

foong to Hot kow merchant. foong byretail. travelling merchant. chera & Co. to Chuen shing. bhoy & Co. to Yuet-wo-loong. yue to Shanghai merchant,

NEWS FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

which took place on the 8th instant. It appears that no progress has been made in furthering the potition in Parliament concerning the Milithe Lists of Residents and Port Directories (table. He accordingly returned and demanded at the Daily Press gave by administering a threshing to the Honor remarked that the case was a very Uffice, and of the following Agents:—

The According to the articles under which they could not chief any wages until the Contribation, in consequence of the inaction only, at \$3.

The According to the inaction of the following Agents:—

The According to the inaction of th dered by some that it was confined to purely local objects, while others regarded its sphere as extending to matters of general policy in Ohina. The meeting was ultimately adjourned but, in the course of it, a very strong expression was given utterance, to incidentally concerning the action of the Government with regard to were the two prisoners. He did not see the their apprehension, which were now in the the Formosa matter, the presentation of a protost with respect to which was the cause of the

question as to the scope of the Society being H.B.M. gunbout Bouncer has had a very successful ording of five weeks, during which time sho managed, in conjunction

His Excellency the Governor paid a visit The latest nows is thus given by a corre

apon the import of Opium. He was consider- quickly replied to by the rebels, who occupied a Messes Pettit, Cunningham, and Viscount ably indebted to the Government on this ac very strong position on the edge of a wood, Do Cercal retire from the Board, and the last address to be presented to him. It is said that claims, and was consequently compelled to were pouring shot and shell into the rebels with he was recalled simply because he refused to close his establishment. He is detained a impunity, the rebel squadron being unable to endorse the anti-progressive policy manginated close prisoner in the Hackwan's Yamen, and render any assistance to their land forces for by Burlingame. This is a piece of satisfactory the duties are now collected by the Haskwan, had they ventured out from under the protec-

decessor. Early volumes of the diplomatic despatches published by the State Department MEMORIAL FROM NATIVE MER. rebels finding the force of their opponents over- June 30th, 1869. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." publication the accompanying copy of a me- their ships, which was still directed against morial to Mr. Consul Gibson, signed by all the them; by this movement six field pieces fell bole had been burnt in a counter in which the changes in the United States Government principal Chinese Hongs in the Southerners who conmosa. I also enclose the original document for | timued to advance until they reached the village publication in your Chinese Issue, should you of Oragawa, where the rebels had creeted a think fit. It seems to me valuable as a further battery mounting two heavy guns, which was proof of the esteem and respect in which Mr. well protected by carthworks and a ravine, on Gibson is held by all classes in Formosa, and the edge of which the Southerners pulled up if their appreciation of his just and temperate to reconneitre. Their advance was not long conduct under most trying circumstances; when delayed, as they again moved on, driving out a less decided action would have probably the enemy, who retreated towards their strongcaused great loss of life and property—at that hold Kameda.

time exposed to imminent peril. A striking The Southerners, however, appeared to be

Aurping, which was taken and occupied under had they done so, they would have been expos-Mr. Gibson's instructions during the late ed to the fire of the enemy who had, unmolestwhen he left Formosa, with his own guard of of a mile from the forts, run their vessels close bonour, and with marks of respect and cere- on shore, so that they could have peppered their mony never before shown to any foreign Con- foes with impunity had they made any show of June 30th, 1869.

sul-in the Island, but, after he had left, em- a further advance. In this position the opporation Amount Cost phatically declared before a number of Chi- sing forces ceased, as if by mutual agreement,

honourable foreigner." A FORMOSA MERCHANT Amoy, 30th June, 1869.

(Translation.) forward conduct in office. filled all mouths with idle stories and unsettled the hind in a somewhat suspicious manner, people's minds, we were fortunate in hearing which she continued to do the whole night. On inst at that time of your arrival amongst us, as | the following morning fire was re-commenced The drug market has been steady throughout you have been untiring in your energies in get at about the same hour, the ball having been ting Chinese and Foreign Murchants to live opened by a general attack by the Stonewall and neaceably together. tially to you; every home remembers your vir- previous days; she was now, strange to say

songs to your praise. Every place knows still, she did not return the fire directed against your worth, all classes of persons are mindful ber after some besitation it was apparently of your good qualities. Star; the whole of Formosa regards and speaks the reason of her silence was discovered—she leaving us, and taking office elsewhere; as we "for a blow up," the prize was taken possession. have no means of detaining you, we can only of in the name of His Imperial Majesty, and think of throwing ourselves in the way of your towed off in triumph, Shortly afterwards the carriage, and thus keeping you always among captain of the Coctlegon came aboard us, and

recipients of your kindness. (Sealed by 84 Merchants.) Tung Che, 8th year, 5th month.

SHANGHAL. The Evening Courier, of 5th instant, give the following particulars of a said accident which resulted in the death of Mr. Hamann. of Mesere. Trantmann & Co. :- "It is with extreme regret that we have to record the death by drowning, of Mr. C. A. Haex. div. mann, of Mesars, Trantmann & Co. In comhina Traders' Lisurance Company's. pany with Mr. Kroeplion, of Mesers. Bour-Shares. Hibener & Co., he went for a sail down river yesterday morning, in a small yacht. There gust with the rebels, who became too much \$100 pr. per s. were two Chinese boatmen. They had got a little beyond the Powder Hulk; Mr. Hamann, sitting on the bow of the boat made some jocalar observation about how they would return; when a sudden squall threw the vessel on her beam ends -her sail, which was suturated by T. Cloth. 71bs., 200 pieces, at 52.25, by Hung the previous wet weather, prevented her from righting, and in a few seconds she went down. Drills, (40-yards,) 100, pieces, al. \$4.75, by Mr. Kroeplien struck out for the shore, but see ing that Mr. Hamanu was struggling, he turned Gambodge, I case, at \$56.00 by Hung-foong and made the most strenuous exertions to reach

| upon disuppeared. The two boatmen were also | shares represented was 5,930, and votes 648.

foreign Coast vessels. It is amounced in of submitting to you their usual Half yearly pean passengers to Hongkong and Macao 3.143; the Duily News that they are intended for the Report upon the affairs of the Company, and the total treasure for same period is to Hongkong provention of the smuggling which has for its operations during the period from the 1st \$609,500, and to Macao \$159,200. The total some time been so extensively carried on by day of January to the 30th June. 1869. native passengers on the Canton route is to small Chinese traders, between Shanghai and The accounts are now laid before you, and Hongkong 58,954, to Canton 52,637; of Eu-Hongkong and Japan; and that they will be so show the working of the steamers for the past ropeans 1.312; total treasure, to Hongkong udministered as to cause no inconvenience to six months. After plying all Commissions, \$2,374,200; to Canton, \$1,266,550.

Other passengers."

Running Expenses: Salaries, Precia and Inthe neighbouring stall keepers might be sum: coal contractor, and some the coal contractor, and with the Chinese gunbonts Antan and onto the next pushes was moned to give evidence, as well as P. C. No. supply good English and Weish coal to the first part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by these traders has been reduced to a systematical part of the ornice was devoted on by the ornice was devoted on by the ornice was devoted or by the 255, who objected to pork, and that the assists steamer, Niger, maliciously stated to the cap to a thorough search of the Island on by these traders has been reduced to a syst goings of every description to the 30th June, Cunningham, and Viscount do Cereal retired. thin and engineer of the ship, and to the ship, to a thorough search of the deat of the last named gentleman of red himself

tain rules with regard to inspecting the

Customs' service.

THE OUTBREAK AT SOOCHOW. Frying round to the effect that a reception guide to the Board have to continue in prisoner failed to find security at the end of dence of Mr. Groen, Superintending Engineer guidents has on this occasion been in every by the latest accounts there are still serious guidents has on this occasion been in every by the latest accounts there are still serious guidents has on this occasion been in every by the latest accounts the receipts of the Heat are still serious of the P&O company, who sulveyed the coals, way successful, if only the every good out-turn of the prisoner, and the receipts of the Heat are still serious about the same scale is at present, which seems in the past six months, and the general prosperity of the term originally awarded. The prisoner, and that he found no Formosi, coal among that the months besides of the continue on the continu

THE WAR IN JAPAN. pondent of the Japan Herald. H.M.S. Pearl. June 15. 1869.

information, as certainly the general impression instead of, as formerly, at the Customs Bank, at tion of the fort they would have been assuredly

ily advancing, nothing daunted at the losses amongst the ranks of their skirmisbers. The CHANTS IN FORMOSA, APPROVING whelming, and discomfited by the bursting of a THE CONDUCT OF MR. ACTING. heavy shell right in their midst, which killed a Frenchman and severely wounded several of their officers, rapidly retreated, closely pressed Sie, I have been requested to forward for by the enemy and harassed by the fire from

testimony to this feeling was afforded by the unwilling to advance any further without the Hop-tai, or Military Governor of the Port of protection of the guns of their fleet, and truly, ed by the Southern fleet, which still remained The Hep tai not only escorted Mr. Gibson, at the respectful distance of some three quarters nese and Europeans—"There goes a just and bostilities for that day. During the fighting i the forencon the smallest gunboat of Enomoto's squadron ranged up to within a few cables' length of the Stonewall and fired into her, ofter which she beat a retreat enticing as lit were the "ram" to start in chase of her; the captain, however, was too wide awake, and having doubtless heard tell of such diabolical inventions as joint petition presented by the Chinese torpedoes, wisely contented himself in expend-Merchants and Shopkeepers at Taiwan, earnest- ing a few rounds of ammunition on his puny wishing to keep Mr. Consul Gibson among aggressor. About three p.m., a small whale boat them, on account of his upright and straight. passed under our stern, its occupant being apparently a Frenchman who steered his course We, the Merchants of Petow and K'iau, who for the French gun-bont Coetlogon, which he have carried on business here, for many years, ran alongside of and boarded; shortly ufter his consider that last year when the foolish villagers | arrival, steam was got up and she drew in shoreof Formosa were circulating rumours, which wards in the direction of the fort, moving along

The people of Fung Shan look up reveren gun boot that had attacked the former on the tues; the market places and wells resound with | nuchored out of range of the forts, and stranger decided to bourd her, to which purpose bests Pan Ping looks up to you as to the North were lowered and manued; on arriving on board was descried. After a cautious survey to assure Now we have heard that you are about themselves that it was not a ruse of the enemy informed our captain that the place was descried. We sincerely hope that you will pity us and and that he was going to start at once for Yolisten to our prayer, so that we may obtain the | kohama with the wounded Frenchmen, at the beneficial effects of your presence among us, and same time he begged him not to make the that we the merchants, may be the constant circumstance known to the Southern people until his vessel was clear of the harbour, fo fear they should attempt to sink him, which idea

they might perhaps have entertained had they been aware that the Frenchmen whom they detest were on board of the craft. This morning the Southerners, who were under the impression that they had only to walk in and take quiet possession of the fort, were somewhat unpleasantly surprised by receiving a brisk fire By Gross Earnings of Steamors rom its guns, which caused them to beat a hasty retreat, and decided them to delay the final attack for three days longer. The furt is not yet deserted, nor is it likely to be by all appearances. The Frenchmen assigned as he reason of their desertion, their great disexcited to obey orders. I must now close my letter, with the promise. o forward you as soon as possible the partiou-

lars of events yet to come. MEETING OF THE HONGKONG, CAN-TON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

An extraordinary general meeting of Sharebolders in the Hongkong, Canton and Macan Steamboat Company was held on the 12th inst. Liquorice, 30 packages, at \$15.00, by Kiu- him, at the same time encouraging him to keep at the offices of the general agents, Messrs, calm. It remains uncertain whether Mr. Augustine Heard & Co. The following gentle-While Waz, 1 piece, at \$234.00, by Kin loong Hamann's feet had got entangled under water, men were present . J. B. Endicott, Chairman. or whether he was seized with cramp, but his Mesurs, Hitchcook, Geo, F. Heard, Kaye, Hart, Rice, 1,000 pleuls, at \$1.15, by Hop-hing to friend Kroeplica found hitgeelf gradually borne Anderson, Viscount de Cercal, Pollard, Doncon, down by the tide, and heard a thrilling shrick Walker, Perry, Mellish, H. Smith, Bell, Russell, the thief up a dark alley. He was handed over full who saw the plane, and he deposed that it Gombodge, 10 pionts, at \$59.00, by Hop-hing from the unfortunate gentleman who there. Davis, Schutze, and Mendal. The number of While Waz, I piece, at \$235.00; by Hop-hing drowned. Mr. Kroeplien struggled to make The Chairman read the notice convening the In defence, the prisoner stated that on the Defendant said he had ocver refused to pay to travelling merchant.

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Hombay Cotton, 100 bales, at \$20.75, by M1.5 was picked up by a sampsa, on being lifted pro forma five special resolutions, the first of back as March last that a check was ready for chers & Co. to Kin-hing cheeng into which, he at once fainted away. Scarch which had reference to an alteration in the Jame 30th, 1869. Bombay Cotton, 100 bales, at \$20.75, by Mel- has been made for Mr. Hamann's body, and 58th Article of the Regulations of the Comwe learn that this morning one of the gunboats puny, whereby the time of notice for hold-Bombay Cotton, 100 bales, at \$20.75, by Melin harbour went down to assist in dredging for ing a meeting was changed from twenty chers & Co. to Man hing.

the body was subsequently recovered.

Calcutta Cotton, 100 bales, a \$18.00, by Gub
The Apse windows in the New Church have altered article 79, reducing the number of directions. block Sugar, 200 bags, at \$3.60, by Wo-keuo to Shanghai merchant.

The subjects represented are —The Agony year. Article 83 was changed so as to read "that

The Subjects represented are the Carriage of the retiring director shall be elected at every

the Oross, the Crucifixion, the Entombment, yearly ordinary meeting." The fifth resolution St. Mary Magdalene in the garden, and the reduced the sum set apart as remancration to June 80th, 1869. Angel announcing the Resurrection to the directors from ton to five thousand dollars To balance ... The event of the fortnight locally has been subject is surmounted with a small canopy, duly proposed and seconded, were put to the June 30th, 1869.

The meeting of the Hongkong Association, laid upon a ground of rich color. In our opin-meeting, and carried manimously. The Chair-By Amount at a which took place on the 8th instant. It ameers ion the coloring of the centre window is a lit- man then announced that a subsequent meeting tle cold and mountaines; and in all cases the would have to be held for the purpose of conborders are too wide, thus giving them an undue firming the minutes of the present meeting, prominence, and confining the space devoted to after which the extraordinary general meet-the subject work. On the whole, however, the ing was resolved into the half-yearly meeting, work possesses much artistic merit, and gives The Charman referred to the report of Examined and found correct, handsome effect to the interior of the build the board of directors already published and ing. It was executed by Messrs. Lavers, Bar oirculated, and after proposing that it should be rand and Westlake of London, at the cost of taken as read, moved its adoption, together with some of the late Mr. Fitzroy's friends in the the statement of accounts attached. Mr. KAYE seconded this motion, which was carried ac-

> The Custom House have established cer- | wordingly... luggage of Chinese passengers on board The Board of Directors have now the pleasure Hongkong 23,282, to Macao, 18,670; and of Euro-

> munoration of the Directors, and carrying anditors for the ensuing year, which was also forward the balance \$3,969.87 to new account. unanimously confirmed. placing apart a considerable sum to to the credit lity of insuring the steamers against fire only. of the Depreciation and Reserve Fund. | ne this was in reality the only risk to which they The Gross Eurnings of the Steamers are were liable. about \$8,000 more than during the previous six Mr. HEARD explained that heretofore it b months: every exertion has been made to eco- been impossible to effect such insurance in this nomize, and the Running Expenses of the colony, but latterly some inquiries had been Steamers have been reduced about \$13,500 while made regarding the possibility of getting the I embrace the opportunity of H.M.S. Dove the cost of repairs have been about \$6,000 less, steamers insured in London. This be believed leaving for your port, to send you a few lines, so that the not Profits of the Company show could now be done for 21 or 3 per cent. He also giving you an account of some of the stirring an increase of \$26,453 over those of the last believed the Hongkong Fire were prepared to

The P. CO. steamer office of the advancing South named gentleman offers himself for re-election. Mr. E. H. Pollard, Q.C., was voted to the chair.

Hongkong, July, 9th, 1869. The following is the Balance Sheet accompanying the Report of the above Company, published in yesterday's paper :--Amount of paid up Capital = 3) \$562,500.00 Secretary. The opinion thus expressed was. Amount of Loan ...... \$70,000.00 Less amount paid on \ 60,000.00 account.... unount at credit De- ) preciation Fund... rom Profit and Loss secount this balf } 60,000.00 Amount Dividends unclaimed.....

Account, viz :---Remuneration to Di- 3.000.00 Dividend at 6 per cent. on \$562.500 Balance to be carried." Amount Cost of Steamers :--Kin Shan, \$170,000.00 Fire Dart. 100,000.00

Amount at creditProfit and Loss

White Cloud. 100,000.00 Kiu Kiang, 189,000.00 Poyang, 126,000.00 \$685,000.00 an expression of opinion that the Committee 28 850 00 | exceeded their powers in taking upon themselves Amount Preliminary \ 4.547.09 Expenses.... Less Amount written off, 2,273.55 2,273,54 Amount Balance of Insurance 2,243.25 | was the case, for a Committee to be considered Account Amount Balance of Remittance to London for purchase o mount Balance of Account with Macao Agents..... Amount Vulue of Stores on hand. Value of Coals on hand. Earnings to be collected,

Do. Cash on hand..... Earnings and Expenses of Steamers. June 30th, 1869. o Repairs on Steamers. 8 6,989,02 Running Expenses on 75,875,28 Less Profit on 1,255,39 Less Profit on 2,145,65 3,401.04 Subsidy to Quok Acheong for withdrawal of his steamers from the river as a common Agency Commission 5 per cent. on \$213,162.13..... Marine Insurance to date...... Salary of Marine Superintendeat to date..... Balance carried to Profit and

Loss Account..... June 30th, 1869. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. To Amount Interest ]

on Loan,.... Liess Interest recolved, To Amount bad debt written off......J To balance viz:amount carried to De-1 preciation Fund. mount written off) Preliminary Exnenses...... mount remnuera- l tion to Directors... Amount Dividendat 6 per cent. on paid } up Capital \$562.500 l Amount Balance to 1

By balance from last 1 account By Net Earnings of Steamera,.... By Amount of old debta recovered,...

be carried to new

By Amonut at credit. \$105,000,00 do. transferred from Profit and Loss account this half year.....

\$165,000.00 AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

The total number of native passengers conveyed on the Macao route during the six months is, to

here. You will perceive from the dating of my stock of Stores and Coal, and the Directors Mr. Andmison said they had been so long lotter, that I have become of an aquatic turn have thought it better to take advantage of the without fire they were almost sure to have one of mind, in that I am temporarily residing low-prices ruling for Ocals to purchase a good now. If insurance against fire only could be alloat for change of air and scene, as the supply rather than pay off a large amount of effected it would hardly be worth while to condectors often say. On the memorable 9th, I the Loan of \$200,000 on the Steamers; this now time the Marine Insurance.

Information is to band by the steamer was awakened by a smart fuellade of small stands at \$10,000 only, and will shortly be ex- The CHAIRMAN announced that the dividend would be payable at the Hongkong and Sliang-

THE HONGKONG-ASSOCIATION: According to notice, a meeting of the memhera of the above Association took place on the 8th inst., at the Rooms of the Chamber of Com-He stated the objects of the meeting to be of a general nature, and that he would be glad to hear any observations as to the past proceedings or future course of the Society. Mr. Whyto gave an account of what he had done in London as the appointed agent of the Association, namely, that he had called at the office of the London Association, but found only an empty room and sundry stools. while a letter from Mr. Duddell, inviting him. to attend a meeting, only reached him in Ireland after the meeting had taken place. This letter, together with the opinions of several mombers of the committee here upon it, was read by the on the part of all the Imembers but two, in favour of the fusion of the two Societies. This measure was strongously advocated Mr. Granville Sharp, who, however, at the same, time explained that the London Branch of the Society had ceased to exist. He gave several interesting details as to the private life, property and habits, of Mr. Duddell, expressing his full belief that that gentleman's interests were much more identified with Brighton than Hongkong. The Chairman explained that the interests of Mr. Duddell in the Colony were probably as large as those of any one present, but Mr. Sharp adhered to his opinion still. Mr. Daddell's interests at Brighton were fifty times what they were in Hongkong. The Chairman then explained that there had been a difference of opinion as to Shantung Province, show state of affairs in that provi the scope of the Society, and on the basis of the minutes of the first meeting, expressed his full opinion that their powers were not limited \$778,663.87 merely to local objects, but extended to all mattera which either directly or indirectly affected the interests of Hongkong. Ha added that it was in consequence of this difference of opinion that this meeting had been called. Mr. Granville Sharp then proposed the re-ception of the report of the Committee (already-published.) On this being seconded by Mr.

ment, consented to withdraw his amendment, and the original motion for the adoption of the Report was carried nem con. Mr. Arnbold at this. part of this proceedings argued at considerable length in favour of the amalgamation of the Association with the Chamber of Commerce, and proposed a motion to that effect. This amendment was seconded by Mr. Delbanco, but it was ably demonstrated by the Chairman that cases were easily conceivable where the interests purely of commerce, which were the primary concern of the Chamber, might not be identical with the more general and local interests of Hongkong, which were the objects of the Association. Mr. Whyte then moved as an amendment that the Association should continue, and this motion was seconded by Mr. Rowett. Mr. Arnbold, then withdrew his motion for the present, and after some discussion, it was noticed that Mr. Whyte's proposition was not necessary. Mr. Francis then suggested a resolution to the effect "that a general meeting of the 10.658.11 Association be called within a month, to consider its future scope and objects, and that mean while the late Committee and Honorary 3,000 00 Secretary be requested to continue in office." Mr. Dennys proposed as an amendment to 99,314.81 this, "that the committee be asked to keep office until the next general meeting called by them, and that the Hongkong Association as affected by British policy in China, desires its committee to protest to the Imperial Government upon the injurious results which \$213,162.13 cannot fail to ensue from the apology ordered to be tendered to the Chinese Government, and the dismissal of Mr. Gibson, as the Chiness are unable to appreciate the senti-

Coxon, Mr. Francis proposed as an amendment, that the meeting should add to the resolution

the decision of a point of so much importance,

without calling a General Meeting. Upon this,

pointing out that, as the powers were not de-

considerable discussion ensued, the Chairman

fined, and as it was the general rule where such

empowered to act to the full extent of a fair in-

terpretation of their powers, it would be rather

hard to consider them open even to an accusation

of want of judgment under the circumstances ex-

isting. Mr. Francis, in deference to this argu-

ments which have dictated such action, stating that the motion would act as a test question as to the opinion of the meeting on the scope of the Association. Mr. Granville Sharp made some further remarks as to the desirability of recognising the collapse of the Association in London; but the Chairman 900.00 pointed out that this was not the question before the meeting. Mr. Norton seconded Mr. Dennys' preposition, which, being put to the meeting, was lost by 10 votes to 5. Mr. Francis' motion was seconded by Mr. Delbanco. and being put to the meeting was carried nem con. A vote of thanks to the Chairman terminated the proceedings. .\_\_\_\_

THE OPENING OF CHOW-CHOW-FOO. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS : Sir,—Having read in your valuable issue of 3rd instant, hended "Communication with the interior at Swalow," stuting that eight years ago foreigners were cooped up on Double Island, I beg to inform you of the rise and full \$104,669.26 of the Island and Swatow. The Opium vessels came down from Namoa Straits in 1853; where they had been stationed since 1887: The brig \$5,348.65 Anonyma, Mesers: Jardine, Matheson & Co., mounting 14 guns, and a crew of 75 men; the 99,314.81 barque Hongkong, Messrs, Dent & Co., 10 guns. and about 40 men, anchored close inside of 5.80 Double Island early in February, 1852. We had then Hongs at Swatow. The people were civil, and glad to see us. We went about the \$104,669.26 | country shooting and sounding the river above

Swatow as far as Kid-yang, and were never

many guns for them. In I'v out of Swatow. The Fleet Nan-goes, the Naval Statio miral of the blue got more t for on board his own junk. the opium orptains a red Swiitow people never gavetro traffic brought energetic mer the place, and to change the what it is at present. Wi of Choa-chow-fow, we might! we choosen to do so, but the uain by that step, more the ent, and the city was as in: The city has 200,000 in miles from Swatow. It can on bottom boats; such as the British ensign, and owned merebant who has done so Island and Switow. There room on the hen-cooped Do Foreigners and their trade, a Kid young been made the port of 12 feet draft could anchor the river, and almost walk in yong has all the clayed sug river is clear and safe th about 30 miles above Swataw Swatow trade, Foreigners car pele with the native dealers have such facilities by steam reight and passage money which they manage very ofter obests of drug into two and to of money free in their leather ubout their person. ow the compete with their under the With regard to coal, the city i on a coal field, so is Kid-yung had samples of coal from th is about the size of course gran It might be made use of In conclusion I have to rem ple have become more host

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A CHINA ASSOCIATIO The Shanghai Recorder, con gnorance displayed on til England, observes that every propriety of establishing an a the object of which shall be t of the British Government on adds, not only should such formed in Loudon, but the in of American trade should some similar institution having ters at New York. The my ranks of those who have n is at home has unducationably and we are assured that th United States in this country jury that has been inflicted u not hesitate to make sach the interests of truth. It w but not a difficult, task to American diplomat to when masking the professions of would be eminently congeni-At present. Ohina is ne Western nations in its t colours. It resembles no b the last gorgoous scene of which is only presented illuminated by the delusi effects of coloured lights. aglow with roseate hues, at a mysterious and enquivocal gre sober day is never permitted picture. We have the fairy the Envoy, and the happy, wi realm sketched by the Uhine the real China, with its grasp tottering throne, and its rebellion, is far too unpleas he shown to the home publi let no time be lost in inaugu tion, and let great care be to men be placed on its committee THE SHANGTUNG (Supreme Court and Co

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where in China; namely, and ment auxious only to obt jects the uttermost each whi from an impoverished people all that affects their inter As in other portions of the have been allowed to fall in mentable state of decay; the with which the province locked up by direct governme or where for the benefit of rities, allowed to be worked and unacknowledged manue round with exactions and p in Wei-hien, and in other thes of coal were heaped readily accessible to the s present state of the communic be laid down at Chefoo at \$4 it not for illegal exactions. N near Wei bien, coal costs f say \$1 per ton, the carriage to the town raises it to three Thence it has to be conveyed ying. The Pushan conf. mouth some 160 cash a picu a ton, and can be transporte Litsing, near the new month river. Both these ports are could readily supply that o are the obstacles placed in t Markham declares the coal prohibited article of trade. It is not alone in the trans even of other minerals, such silver, that these prohibitory: It is probably not generally olden yellow silk, called in chuch" eilk, for the most Shantung, and that in fact it cipal staples of the province. known for their durable natur little inferior: to the ordina **y** also produced in large quantiti Yot both these articles are a foreign trade. Mr. Markhan description of the mode add those articles reaching the porat exharbitant prices. In adculties placed in the way of ca torial system of compelling middle man bound to reauthorities, whose powers of limited and undefined, effects dealing with the foreign events have shown us how aponeible magistracy endeavo own ends the fenra of the lo dread of a punishment, none it is not to be found in the China, always hangs over t attempted to beard one of the ever low his grado. It is all the offence is letting a house t foreigner, or selling silk withou tion of the middle man. Suc less would not be recognized hundreds of them ready at u in be trumped up. The unfortur himself charged with crimes ag as a son he has been wanting as a nephew he has not past one of his clan; be has inadve some of his neighbours' féngst charges which can be readily t and are of too vague a nature proof. Even if these fail, as mandarin is practically without grosser are readily brought unfortunate man who has one the orders of a mandarin, ren of his life a marked man. Shantung, however, differed from the other provinces; no fertile to a degree unusual the present day, but the p posed. Whereverthetravellers Mr. Markham went, they were civility from the people then mandarins were openly un bearing. The one in fact co trade as an outlet for th the soil, the others could with disgust on a change wa their power and interfere gal gains. Elsewhere the n.a. tended that the people were insults inflicted on foreigners



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The city has 200,000 inhabitants, and is 27 miles from Swatow. It can only be reached by flat

SWATOW Double Island, June 29th, 1869. A CHINA ASSUCIATION AT HOME.

and we are assured that the citizens of the American diplomat to whom the task of un- port :--. masking the professions of Mr. Burlingame I add a summary which presents in brief the mit telegraphs on even the smallest scale they would be eminently congenial. Western nations, in its true and natural for the past year with those of 1967. colours. It resembles nothing so much as the last gorgoons scene of an extravaganza, which is only presented to the audience illuminated by the delusive and magical effects of coloured lights. At one time it is all aglow with reseate bues, at another bathed in a mysterious and enquivocal green tint; the honest. sober day is never permitted to irradiate the picture. We have the fairy land sketched by the Envoy, and the happy, wise and enlightened realm sketched by the Chinese Secretary, but the real China, with its grasping mandarins, its tottering throne, and its millions ripe for rebellion, is far too unpleasant a picture to be shown to the home public. By all means men be placed on its committee."

let no time be lost in inaugurating an Association, and let great care be taken that the best THE SHANGTHNG PROVINCE (Supreme Court and Consular Gazetle.) Shantung Province, shows us the same state of affairs in that province as exists elso where in China, namely, an oppressive government, anxious only to obtain from its sub duced, and that is, the very large proportion of jecta the uttermost cash which can be wrong from an impoverished people, and careless of trade that falls to the share of Great Britain all that affects their interest or well being, and ber dependencies. I have pointedly drawn As in other portions of the country, the roads attention to this fact when treating of the subhave been allowed to fall into the most la ject of imports, but it will be observed that mentable state of decay; the mineral wealth the preponderance runs through the thread of with which the province abounds is either the entire trade until, in the grand total, it exlocked up by direct governmental interference, hibits us as participators in its benefits to the or where, for the benefit of the local author extent of fully six-sevenths of the whole. This rities, allowed to be worked in an irregular feature of the trade has not, I conceive, had and unacknowledged manner, in so fenced that prominence accorded to it in previous reround with exactions and petty obstructions ports which it deserves as to scarcely repay the trouble. In Poshan. It is worthy of notice that the foreign to scarcely repay the trouble. In Posban, in Wei-hien, and in other places, large sup- ports and exports estimated as above, at a value 3m 1272. Hongkong, 1st July, 1869. plies of coal were heaped up in positions of Tuels 89,380,772, do not by any means reprereadily accessible to the sea. Even in the seat the whole actual trade of the place. As I R. FRITZ RAPP has been duly austreadily accessible to the sea. Even in the seat the whole actual trade of the place. As I The FRITZ RAPP has been duly austreadily accessible to the sea. Even in the mointed out under the head of Grey Shirtings, present state of the communications coal could | pointed out under the head of Grey Shirtings, be laid down at Chefoo at \$4.50 per ton, were it not for illegal exactions. At the coal mines tions of an intermediary depot for Japan, the real mines of an intermediary depot for Japan, the T. Yang taze, Ningpo, and the Northern ports.

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Return No. IX gives some valuable details in to the town raises it to three times that price. support of this. Out of a value of Taols I HAVE this day Established myself at this Thence it has to be conveyed 25 miles to Hia. 50,200,000 of foreign imported goods, it will be Port as Public Tea Inspector and Comying. The Poshan coal costs at the pit's there seen that Taels 37,700,000 are re-exported mouth some 160 cash a picul, or about \$2.60 in the proportions of 2.080,000 to Japan, &c., a tou, and can be transported to the port of and 85,600,000 to the Coast ports, leaving over Litsing, near the new mouth of the Yellow Taels 12,450,000 as the local consumption of this river. Both these ports are near Chefoo, and port in such goods. Of the foreign exports, are the obstacles placed in the way that Mr. 12,700,000 is contributed by Hankow, and Markham declares the coal to be a virtually Kinkiang and 430,000 by Ningpo and prohibited article of trade. Foochow in Tea alone) are derived It is not alone in the transport of coal, nor from other ports, river and coastwise, even of other minerals, such as iron, lead, and leaving Taels 19,890,000 as the export proper silver, that these prohibitory rates are imposed. of the port to foreign countries. Apart, more-It is probably not generally known that the over, from trade to and from foreign countries, golden yellow silk, called in the market "Sze. Shanghai is shewn to posses a considerable trade chuen" silk, for the most part comes from of its own with coast and other ports, in Chi-Shantung, and that in fact it is one of the prin. | nese goods. It will be seen from the same recipal staples of the province. Popices, too well | turn that the imports from Hankow, Kinkiane, known for their durable nature and appearance, and Ningpo, of Chinese goods not re-exported little inferior to the ordinary bombyx silk, are to foreign countries, in valued at Taels also produced in large quantities in the province, 15,071,229 of which a value of Taels 8,418,854 is Yet both these articles are almost unknown to | re-exported to Chinese ports, and Tacle 6,657,876 foreign trade. Mr. Markham's paper gives a is consumed on the spot. Again, of the Chidescription of the mode adopted to prevent nese produce of local origin, not sent to any those articles reaching the port of Chefoo, except but Chineso ports, as large a value as Taels at exherbitant prices. In addition to the diffi. 7,813,440 is shown to be experted, details of entties placed in the way of carriage, an inquisi | which are to be found in the first columns of torial system of compelling sales through a Return No. VI. It follows that the local trade middle man bound to report to the local of this port, carried on with other Chinese ports authorities, whose powers of taxing are unin foreign bottoms, may be estimated at Taels
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THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
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EDWIN HENRY HOW in our Firm coased events have shown as how a practically arre. of Tacls 112,245,441 which represents the entire on the 31st December, 1868. aponeible magistracy endeavour to turn to their trade of Shanghai. This is of course exclusive Referring to the following notice of change own ends the fears of the lower classes. The of all purely native trade in Chinese craft, of in the Firm, the remaining Partner, M. dread of a punishment, none the less real that which no reliable data are procurable; but judg. W. P. GALTON, is authorized to actile all out it is not to be found in the criminal code of ing from the forest of masts which line the standing accounts. China, always hangs over the man who has upper portion of the river off the native town, attempted to beard one of the oligarchy, how, it must be very considerable. In this connective his grade. It is all the same whether tion I may venture to suggest the expediency the offence is letting a house to an unoffending with respect to future Returns, of moving the foreigner, or selling silk without the interven. Supreme Authorities at Peking to direct the tion of the middle man. Such charges doubt. local executive in every port to afford the Consul less would not be recognized, but there are the same facilities for reference to the books hundreds of them ready at a moment's notice to and records of the native Customs Offices, of WESTALL, GALTON & Co.

as a son he has been wanting in filial affection; valuable information hitherto unattainable as a nephew he has not paid due reverence to might thereby be secured. one of his clan; be has impovertently disturbed some of his neighbours fongshut; all these are HOME CRITICS ON CHINESE AFFAIRS. charges which can be readily brought forward, Shanahai Reconfer ! and are of too vague a nature to admit of dis- It is very difficult to satisfy the self constiproof. Even if these fail, as the dictum of a tuted critics of Chinese affairs who week after from the other provinces; not only is the soil other considerations subservient to trade, and fertile to a degree unusual in the China of for submitting to insults and exactions rather posed. Wherever the travellers who accompanied time the Ministers and Consuls are blamed Ammunition, and Gunpowder, on terms more Ir. Markinim went, they were met with marked for giving encouragements at present distaste favorable than they can obtained from New civility from the people themselves, while the ful to the native officials, and a few mails later York. trade as an outlet for the productions of troduction of railways and telegraphs. The with disgust on a change which would reduce ly and hopelessly ignorant of their sub-their power and interfere with their ille. ject. When every other topic is exhausted gai gains. Elsewhere the mandarins have pre- China comes in for its turn to fill a vacant ended that the people were the source of column, or it is assigned to new hands just as insults inflicted on foreigners, and under cover odds and ends of worthless wood are given

CONTRACTS WITH CHINESE

the object of which shall be the enlightenment essential things are that those who bind them- us believe, it consists in a third war. And this formed in London, but the important interests be but one language employed. It is known round this empire, It is a glittering prize in of American trade should be booked after by from experience bow difficult it is to reproduce doubt, and the time is coming when it must be some similar institution baving its head quartechnicalities in a language so clamsy as Chi. shared. Then "China" will have beesed to ters at New York. The swit offender in the nese, and containing no exact equivalents for exist. But so long as it does exist the pigranks of those who have misled public opinion terms which in English from long usage carry headed mandaring cannot be made to underat home has unquestionably been an American, their own meaning legibly stamped upon them. United States in this country feel deeply the innot hesitate to make sacrifices to forward. The following admirable summary of the ance of the Chinese political system is at the the interests of truth: It would be a delicate, Trade of the above port for the past year, is bottom of all the misconceptions that finds but not a difficult task to point to a leading given in the course of Consul Medhurst's Re their expression in the English papers. To take

> British Trade. 1868—Import 46,302,911. 75,524,795 Export 29,221,854 1867—Import 43,251,820 64,874,181 Export 21,619,361 --Increase..... Taels 10,650,61

Other Foreign Trade. 1868—Import 3,904,582 Export 9,931,415 1867—Import \$,315,714 Export 7,608,713

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during the past year, as exhibited by this table, not for a moment deny that centralised governis quite unprecedented; and it proves the car ment would in all respects be an improvement. Mr. Consul Markham's recent tour through | pabilities of expansion which the port, from its | Nor do we deny that the time is coming when peculiar position and advantages, so abundantly such a government will be in existence, though regulation bors. possesses. Another remarkable, and, to the Bri. probably not at Peking. But the members of tish mind, satisfactory conclusion may be de that government will not be native mandaring this enormous, and which should be prosperous.

be trumped up. The unfortunate victim finds which are now so obligingly accorded by the himself charged with crimes against his family; Officers of the Maritime Customs Service. Much mandarin is practically without appeal, others week pour their floods of nonsense into the grosser are readily brought forward, so the London papers. At one time foreign mer. unfortunate man who has once run counter to chants resident in Ginna are abused for presthe orders of a mandarin, remains for the rest | sing their rights with so much vehemence as to endanger friendly relations with the Chinese. Shanting, however, differed in some respects At another they are blamed for making all

mandarins were openly unfriendly in their the same gentlemen are bitterly accused of not bearing. The one in fact considered foreign exerting their influence to procure the in [] E S E F E L D & O O AUCTIONEERS. COMMISSION MERCHANTS. QUEEN'S ROAD, Next door to Hongkong Dispensary. 3m 874 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1869.

noted village of Goa-sun by invitation, and up the lowest classes; in Shantung their on, at a lathe. For some such reasons no English. many guns for them. In fact, we drive them. In fact the more we penetrate into Ohina the them, are as ignovant as its, writers. With miral of the blue got more than he bargained When the feelings of the former are on every tely paint missionaries as aposities and as for on board his own junk for calling, one of occasion insulted, and their interests entirely as ignorant, apprincipled agitators, diplomadraffic brought energetic merchants to bear on chronic state of rebellion which seems the lot, and as more sungglers. By hast mail we learn-

the place, and to change the system of trude to of the Flowery Land. In Shanting every ed that the Standard had taken up its purawhat it is at present. With regard to the City district lime traces of the recent intestine ble against Sir Rutherford Aloock and had reof Choa chow fow, we might have gone there had troubles which have wasted the provides, while presented him as discounging by his luke. we choosen to do so, but there was nothing to of the sufferings of the people and their ill warmness the introduction of telegraphs into gain by that step, more than there is at pre- treatment by both sides, the palm of injustice China. Now exceptes a matter of courtesy, and sent, and the city was as much open then as it was said often to belong to their nominal pro- with a view to mid in developing the resources designs for the Spring Trade. of the Empire, the telegraph scheme suggested to Sir Rutherland Alcock was no business of his. The promoters were Americans, and I halton beats, such as the Choloner, fiying the Commenting upon a recent case, in which it the agent in China was an American. Through British ensign, and owned by the energetic appeared that a contract drawn up on the one the American Ministerior Charge therefore this perchant who has done so much for Double side in English and the other in Chinese, dif. particular proposition abould have been made. Island and Swatow. There is, however, ample fered materially in the two versions, the Shang. But as was perfectly right, Sir Rutherford room on the hen cooped Double Island for all hai Recorder considers that contracts in differ. Alcock waived all petty considerations of the Foreigners and their trade, and to spare. Had out languages are a fatal mistake. Duplicates kind, and courteously communicated to the tele-Kid yang been made the port of Swatow, vessels in one language would be amply sufficient in graph agent the results of his continued reproof 12 feet draft could anchor along the banks of all cases. And for several reasons it would be sentations to the central government. Those the river, and almost wolk into the bouses. Kid- well that the language selected should be Chi- results were exactly att, and the explanation yong has all the clayed angar trade, and the nese. The native would have no excuse for might be either inefficiency in the advocate, or river is clear and sife the whole distance, plending defective information, and the foreign. blind and determined opposition on the part of about 30 miles above Swatow. With regard to er could as easily scenic himself by a Chinese the Chinese. The Minister assures us that he Swatow trade, Foreigners can never again com- contract as by one drawn up in English. For did all he could, but the Blandard very pele with the native dealers, while the latter if the native infringes it the remedy is the same decisively gives him the lie, and implies that have such facilities by steam to Hougkong, with whatever language be employed. The Chinese he might have obtained the concession if he freight and passage money so low, and to authorities are the judges, and it is of course pleased. Perhaps the Standard honcestly be which they manage very often to squeeze three better that all documents bearing on a dispute lieves this, but we think it very doubtful. heats of drug into hwo and takedown large sums submitted to them should be in Chinese. If Most probably it possesses nothing so positive of money free in their leather pillow boxes, and the foreigner infringe it each Consulate is pro- as a belief in any Chinese matter. It has been about their person. ow then can Foreigners rided with a qualified interpretor, and there can deluded by Mr. Burlingame just as handreds of thus be no more doubt about the provisions of a others have been deluded, and it has run into the provisions of a contract the present system? With regard to coal, the city is said to be built | Chinese document than about those of one drawn | the extreme whither the wily American desired on a coal field, so is Kid-yung. The writer has up in English. For the perfect security of the to direct western opinion. We pass by the usforeigner, however, it would alone be necessary sertion—utterly without foundation—that there is about he size of course gravel, and very damp. for him to have the contract, supposed in Chi. is abundance of money for the conlt might be made use of for Patent Feul. practical In conclusion I have to remark that the pro- call interpreter could fully explain the nature of are not so foolish as the Standard would repreple have become more hostile to Foreigners the engagement. Nothing can exceed the absent them. There should be some substantial since the date when the British Consulate and sordity of the present system under which each government guarantee given before a dollar the energetic merchant left the hencoop of the two parties signs a document a single would be invested, and even supposing the goal Double Island for their present quarters, syllable of which he does not understand, but vernment to possess the power of granting any

Every description kept in Stock, from Infant which are neither Swatow nor the city, and re- which he assumes to be all right until a legal reliable guarantee, which it does not, it does port says, they wish themselves buck again. process convinces him to the containty, not possess the will, and in a word, would Should you consider the foregoing worthy of The converse of the plan we suggest might not. If the gentleman who pressed Sir Ruther a place in your valuable columns, you will with almost equal advantage be adopted, ford Alcock on the matter, and who (to quote If English be preferred, both parties could the Standard) is very familiar with the counsubmit the document to the Mixed Court, the try, which he has traversed in all directions MUSLIN AND LACE GARIBALDIES assessor to which institution could then explain repeatedly," had made any use of his opporminutely to the native the nature of what he tunities of observing the native official was signing. But we have a funcy for the former mind, he would have known how vain any plan, because as the foreigner must sue before a lattempt of the kind must have proved. The The Shanghai Recorder, commenting upon the native tribunal, there would be less room for opening up of China to European capitalists is guorance displayed on Chinese questions in delay and misunderstanding were the dopuments a problem of no difficulty. The solution England, observes that everything points to the in dispute conched in the Chinese lan mage; absolutely obvious, but it does not consist in propriety of establishing an association at home. This, however, is purely a matter of detail. The despatch writing as the Standard would have of the British Government on China affairs; and selves by contracts should not be content with Sir Rollierford Alcock very clearly sets forth, adds, not only should such a combination be unofficial authentication, and that there should Porcign nations with greedy eyes are clustering

stand the plain truths of political economy," and no amount of despatch writing will confer ! the accessary faculty upon them. The plain truth is that fundamental ignorup this instance—if the native authorities adgeneral results that have been arrived ut, and will be powerless to prevent their extension. At present China is never seen by the uffords an opportunity of comparing the figures This they know as well as we do. But were telegraphs once spread over the empire it would no longer be possible for the central government to disayow the acts of their provincial representatives. In other words, the independence of the local governors would, so far as foreign affairs are concerned, be at an end. This would be equivalent to a total change in the administration of the empire-a change for which the nominal government at Peking is not prepared, and which indeed, if introduced would inevely be the intecedent step to its fall. The Chinese government will not centralise so long as they can stuve it off. Their traditions, feelings and interests are all against it. At Peking there is no administration, nor have the central government the power of maintaining one. The members of the boards and of the cabinet are lazy imbeciles who fatten on supplies derived from the provinces upon

The advance which the whole trade has made | the sole condition of non-interference. We do Notices of Firms.

THE Undersigned has established himself as L a General Austioneer and Commission Agent, on the ground floor of the Hongkong Hotel, under the style of GUEDES & Co. J. M. GUEDES, JR. tf 1098 Hongkong, 7th June, 1869. TR. LEONHARD STAEL has been ad mitted a Partner in our firm, from this

T. BLACKHEAD & Co. M 1166 Hongkong, 11th June, 1869. mission Agent. THOMAS IL CHAPMAN.

3m 1126 Focobow, 10th June, 1869. HAVE this day established myself as a L Public Accountant, Average Adjuster, and General Commission Agent. U. LANGDON DAVIES. tf 1243 Hongkong, 1st July, 1868. NOTICE. HAVE established myself at Kobe at

Osaku, as Commission Merchant and eneral Agent. tf 773 - 17th April, 1869. XIE have this day admitted Mr. BENJAMIN VV E. GALL as a Partner in our firm. FAWCETT & Co. tf 643 Hongkong, 1st April, 1869. act as Agent of the Pacific Mail Steam. ship Company at this port. GEO. F. BOWMAN

AROM this date Mr. GRORGE E. LANE will tf 526 Hongkong, 15th March, 1869.

E. H. HOW & Co. tf 658 Foochow, March, 1869. THE business hitherto carried on by Mesars L. E. H. How & Co., was on the let January. amalgamated with that of Mr. R. R. WESTALL and will be continued under the style or Firm

. H 659 Phochow, March. 1869. A R. WILLIAM MAUNSELL REEVES i authorised to sign our Firm, per pro-WESTALL, GALTON & Co. tf 660 Foodbow, March, 1869.

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The British steamer Coast, on the 18th July. fine weather throughout, wit swell. The Kaisom, ten cli Foodhow on Sunday of the lot left the previous Friday. The Siamese ship Ques Bangkok on the 5th July. weather and southerly strong gale on moraling Spoke North German bary

lajifsk ; H5 days out. SHANGHAL SE ARRIVAI July 8, Star of the East, Elze, from Noweb , Wilbelm, from Ne 9. James S. Stone, f 9. Trightfoot, from I 10, Samuel Russell. 11. Sir Harry Parks Batavia, from Ne Luaitania, from M 11. Argonaut, from S 12. Fathool Carrin. 13. Imperatrice, from 12, Eyelyn Wood, fro lo, Homer, from Fee 13, Fluellin, from Sur 18. St. George, from:

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P.M.S.S. Costa Haya mara, str., i. Fusi yanna str. 6, Pawtuzat, str . l, New York, str., 2, Nyinph, str, fro Miaca, str., from Mogi, from Naga Sakura, str., itu: , Bahuma, str., tro Ondiz, str., from Hong que str., i 9, Hava-mara, str., 10. P.M.S.S. Costa 10, Oleopatra, front 10, Sultan, str., fro. Mona, štr., frou 12. Von Brandt, fr 4. P.M.S.S. New Y , Bertha, str., fron Bahama str., f City of Niagara,

DEPART Muy 25, P.M.S.S. Costu . Sakura, str., f 26, Cadiz, str., for 27. Fusi yama, str. June 1, Haya-mara, str., , Ocean Queen, st Bahama, str., fo Cadiz, str., for S. Otago, str., for P.M.S.S. Costa 12. P.M.S.S. New Y 15, Haya mara, str. l8, Bertha, str., for 28, Bahama, str., 10 MANILA SE

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Singapore, from 1: Vincenza, from Ca Carin, from Hongk Portinscale, from Oriana, from Cardi lleopatra, from Sa Wm. Truing, for 1 Fung Shuey, str... Mauritius, tor San Kulga, for San Fr Singapore, for San Nellia Abbot, fo ARCHOR SHI

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